

REMARKS

The Amendment

Claims 23-29 are in this application, Claims 1-22 having been canceled, and Claims 23-29 having been added by this amendment.

Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested. No new matter is added by the amendment, because the new claims find support in the application as filed.

Entry of the amendment and allowance of the claims are requested.

Applicants file herewith the following documents to be made of record in this continuation application:

1. Declaration of Susan Malcolm from Application USSN 08/453,223 (Filed May 30, 1995); (4 pages).
2. Document titled "NDA Approvals for Calendar Year 2001" from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, obtained from the web at <http://www.fda.gov/cder/rdmt/ndaaps01cy.htm> (4 pages).
3. Declaration of Hans Maag from Application USSN 08/453,223 (Filed May 30, 1995); (8 pages).
4. Declaration of Charles Dvorak from Application USSN 08/453,223 (Filed May 30, 1995); (10 pages).
5. Declaration of Yeun-Kwei Han from Application USSN 08/453,223 (Filed May 30, 1995); (7 pages).

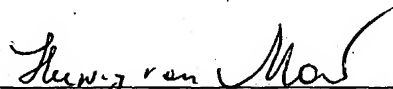
CONCLUSION

Applicants submit this preliminary amendment to put the application in better condition for examination.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including petition fees and extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. **08-1641**, referencing attorney's docket no. **13265-1247 C6**.

Respectfully submitted,

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